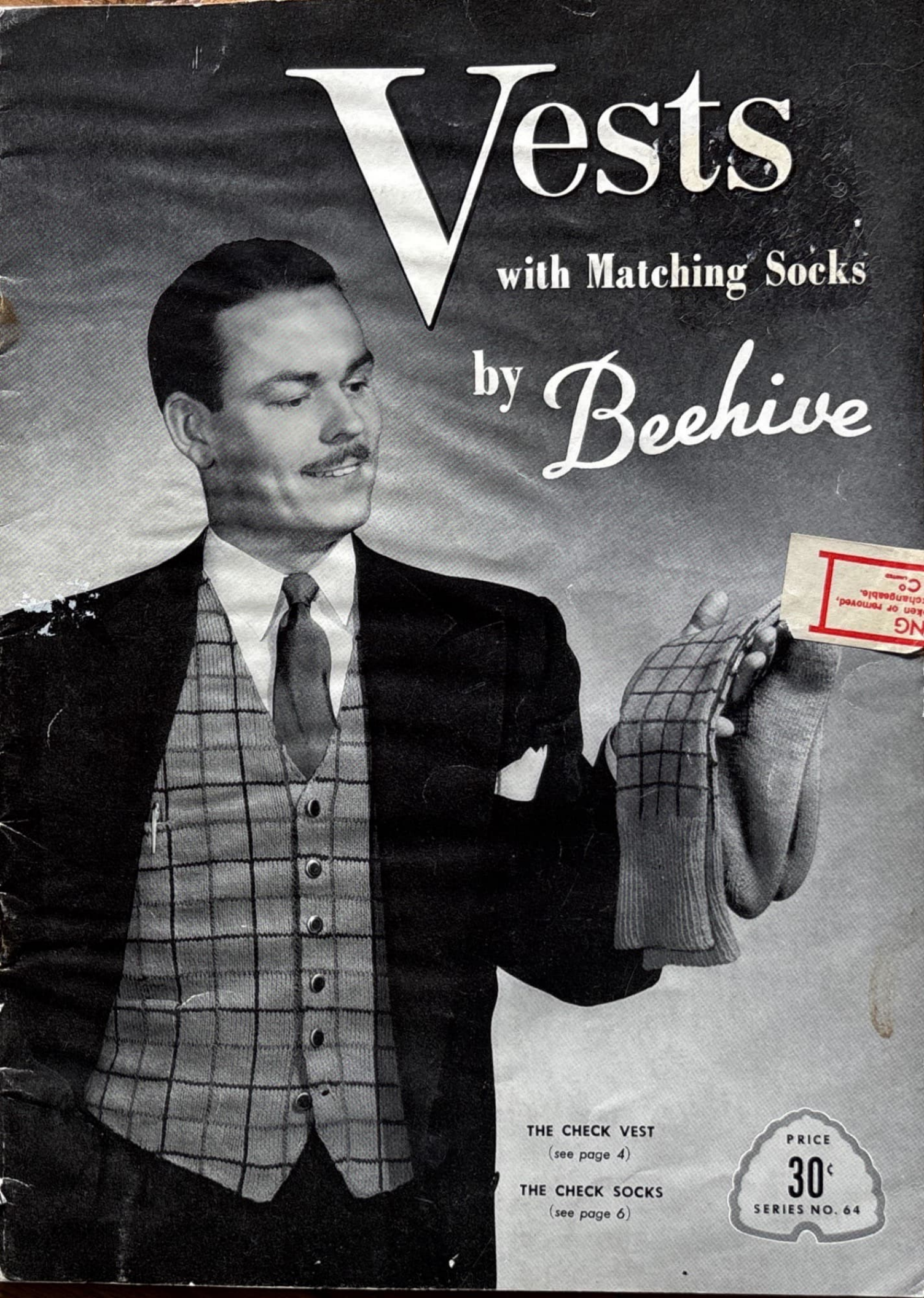
Vests

with Matching Socks

by *Beehive*



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Vests with matching Socks, the most electrifying new fashion for men in years.

Make them from these easy Beehive instructions and use the world famous 3 ply BEEHIVE FINGERING, PATONISED in any of its one hundred or more sparkling colours.

The attention to detail, fine fit and careful finish of these Vests is bound to please the most discriminating of men.

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the Basket Weave vest

(Illustrated on page 1)

MATERIALS:

3 ply BEEHIVE FINGERING, PATONISED. 7 ozs. *(38—7 ozs.)* *(40—8 ozs.)* *(42—8 ozs.)*. Two No. 12, two No. 11 and two No. 10 Queen Bee Knitting Needles. 6 Buttons. One Spool matching sewing thread.

MEASUREMENTS:

Chest	36 ins.	38 ins.	40 ins.	42 ins.
Back: Length from top of shoulder	19½ "	19½ "	20 "	20 "
Width at underarm	18 "	19 "	20 "	21 "
Fronts: Length from top of shoulder without border	18 "	18 "	18½ "	18½ "
Width of each at underarm without border	9 "	9½ "	10 "	10½ "

Be sure to check these measurements before beginning to knit.

Tension: 8 sts. and 10 rows in Stocking st. = 1 inch with No. 10 needles.

Check tension—see page 16.

For Washing Instructions—see page 17.

LEFT FRONT: Beginning at lower edge with No. 11 needles cast on 4 sts. for all sizes.

1st row: K2. P1. K1.

2nd row: Inc. 1. st. in 1st. st. K1. P1. K1.

3rd row: Cast on 4 sts. K1. P1. K2. P2. K3.

4th row: Inc. 1. st. in 1st. st. (P2. K2) twice.

5th row: Cast on 4 sts. ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. K2.

6th row: Inc. 1. st. in 1st. st. P1. ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. K2. P1. K1.

7th row: Cast on 4 sts. K1. P1. ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last st. K1.

8th row: Inc. 1. st. in 1st. st. ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. K2.

9th row: Cast on 4 sts. ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. K2. P1. K1.

10th row: Inc. 1. st. in 1st. st. K1. ★P2. K2. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. P1. K1.

11th row: Cast on 4 sts. K1. P1. ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 3 sts. K3.

12th row: Inc. 1. st. in 1st. st. ★P2. K2. Repeat from ★ to end of row.

Repeat 5th to 8th rows inclusive once. (40 sts. on needle).

From this point the instructions are written for size 36. Size 38 is worked exactly as given for size 36. Size 40 is written in brackets thus:—( ). Size 42 is worked exactly as given for size 40. Due to the elasticity of the stitch pattern, the larger sizes can be easily blocked to the required measurements as given.

17th row: Cast on 4 sts. ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. K2. P1. K1. (front edge).

18th row: ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. K2. P1. K1.

19th row: Cast on 4 sts. K1. P1. ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. K2.

20th row: K1. P1. ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. K2. Repeat 17th to 20th rows inclusive to 64 sts. on needle. *(40—72 sts.)* ending with 20th row. This is side edge. Proceed:—

1st and 2nd rows: ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. K2. P1. K1.

3rd and 4th rows: K1. P1. ★K2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. K2. These 4 rows complete one pattern for front.

Keeping continuity of pattern inc. 1. st. at side edge on next and following 8th row ending at side edge. 66 sts. on needle. *(40—74 sts.)*.

To make pocket opening and pocket top: Work 46 sts. *(40—50 sts.)* in pattern. Turn. Work 32 sts. in pattern. Turn. *(all sizes)*. Working on these 32 sts. for pocket top, change to No. 12 needles and work 9 rows even in ribbing (K1. P1). Cast off **loosely** in ribbing.

To make and insert pocket piece: With No. 12 needles cast on 32 sts. and work 2½ ins. even in Stocking st. ending with purl row. (When making Right Front, end with knit row). Using the needle of the front with the 14 sts. *(40—18 sts.)* on it and the wool of the pocket piece, work in pattern across the 32 sts. of pocket piece, then the remaining 20 sts. *(40—24 sts.)* of the front ending at front edge. 66 sts. on needle. *(40—74 sts.)*.

Work 5 rows even in pattern ending at side edge.

Continue in pattern inc. 1. st. at side edge on next and every following 8th row to 76 sts. on needle. *(40—84 sts.)*, working increased sts. in pattern.

Continue even in pattern until work measures 8½ ins. from last cast-on sts. at lower edge or desired length, ending at side edge. *(all sizes.)*.

To shape armhole and neck: Keeping continuity of pattern, at armhole edge cast off 6 sts. once, then 2 sts. every alternate row twice, ending at armhole edge.

Next row: Cast off 2 sts. Work in pattern to last 2 sts. K2tog. (neck edge). **Next row:** Work even in pattern. Repeat last 2 rows twice. 57 sts. on needle. *(40—65 sts.)*.

Dec. 1. st. at armhole edge on next and every following alternate row, at same time dec. 1. st. at neck edge on 3rd and every following 4th row to 42 sts. on needle. *(40—47 sts.)*.

Keeping armhole edge even continue dec. 1. st. at neck edge every 4th row to 38 sts. on needle. *(40—44 sts.)* then every 6th row to 30 sts. on needle. *(40—34 sts.)* Continue even in pattern until armhole from first shaping measures 9½ ins. *(40—10 ins.)*.

To shape shoulder: Keeping continuity of pattern, at armhole edge cast off 8 sts. every alternate row twice. *(all sizes)*, then 7 sts. *(40—9 sts.)* every alternate row twice.

Work the armhole facing exactly as given for Back, see page 10.

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Basket Weave Socks

To match
Basket Weave Vest
illustrated on page 1

MATERIALS:

3 ply BEEHIVE FINGERING, PATONISED. 3 ozs. for sizes up to 11. Sizes 11½ and 12, 4 ozs. Set of 4 No. 13 Queen Bee Knitting Needles (points at both ends).

MEASUREMENTS: Length of leg to bottom of heel flap 13½ ins.

To shorten leg of sock: Work 1 inch less in ribbed cuff.

Tension: 9½ sts. and 13 rows = 1 inch.

Check tension—see page 16.

For Washing Instructions—see page 17.

With (B) wool cast on 76 sts. **loosely.** (20. 36. 20). Work 4 ins. ribbing (K1. P1). Slip 1. st. from 1st. and 3rd needles onto each end of 2nd needle. (19. 38. 19).

Proceed:—

1st and 2nd rounds: ★(K1. P1) 4 times. (K2. P2) twice. K2. P1. Repeat from ★ to end of round.

3rd and 4th rounds: ★(K1. P1) 3 times. K1. P3. K2. P2. K2. P3. Repeat from ★ to end of round. These 4 rounds complete pattern for leg of sock. Continue even in pattern until work measures approx. 11 ins. from beginning ending with 3rd pattern round.

To arrange heel stitches: Rib the first 4 sts. from 1st. needle onto 3rd needle. Turn. With the spare needle proceed:—

(K1. P1) twice. K3. P2. K2. P2. K3. (P1. K1) 3 times. P1. K3. P2. K2. P2. K3. (P1. K1) twice. Turn. (39 sts. on needle). Divide remaining 37 sts. on 2 needles and leave for instep. Working on the 39 heel sts. make and shape the heel as given on page 15 to 21 sts. on needle.

Do not break wool.

To make and shape instep: Put the 37 instep sts. onto one needle. *1st needle:* Using the needle with the 21 heel sts. with right side of work facing, pick up and knit 20 sts. along side of heel, inserting the needle through the knot formed by the st. knitted at beginning and end of each row. *2nd needle:* Working across the 37 instep sts., K1. P1. K1. P3. K2. P2. K2. P3. (K1. P1) 3 times. K1. P3. K2. P2. K2. P3. K1. P1. K1. *3rd needle:* Pick up and knit 20 sts. along other side of heel and knit 10 sts. from 1st. needle. Sts. are now divided:—*1st needle*: 31 sts. *2nd needle*: 37 sts. *3rd needle*: 30 sts.

Proceed:—

1st round: *1st needle*: Knit. *2nd needle*: (K1. P1) twice. (K2. P2) twice. K2. P1. (K1. P1) 4 times. (K2. P2) twice. K2. (P1. K1) twice. *3rd needle*: Knit.

2nd round: *1st needle*: Knit to last 2 sts. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. *2nd needle*: As 1st. round. *3rd needle*: K2tog. Knit to end of needle.

3rd round: *1st needle*: Knit. *2nd needle*: K1. P1. K1. P3. K2. P2. K2. P3. (K1. P1) 3 times. K1. P3. K2. P2. K2. P3. K1. P1. K1. *3rd needle*: Knit.

4th round: *1st needle*: Knit to last 2 sts. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. *2nd needle*: As 3rd round. *3rd needle*: K2tog. Knit to end of needle. Repeat these 4 rounds until there are 17 sts. on 1st. needle, 37 sts. on 2nd needle and 16 sts. on 3rd needle. (70 sts. in round). Keeping 2nd needle in pattern as before, continue even until work measures (from where sts. were picked up for instep):—

6¼ ins. for size 10.
7¼ ins. for size 11.
8¼ ins. for size 12.

Slip 1. st. from each end of 2nd needle and 1st. and 3rd needles. (18. 35. 17).

Shape the toe and Make Up sock as given on page 15.

the Check vest

(Illustrated on cover)

MATERIALS:

3 ply BEEHIVE FINGERING, PATONISED. 6 ozs. Main Colour (B). *(38—7 ozs.)* *(40—7 ozs.)* *(42—8 ozs.)*. 1 oz. each Contrasting Colours (A) and (C). *(all sizes)*. Two No. 12, two No. 11 and two No. 10 Queen Bee Knitting Needles. One spare No. 11 needle with points at both ends. 6 Buttons. ⅔ yd. Grosgrain Ribbon ½ inch wide and one spool sewing thread to match Main Colour (B).

MEASUREMENTS:

Chest	36 ins.	38 ins.	40 ins.	42 ins.
Back: Length from top of shoulder	19½ "	19½ "	20 "	20 "
Width at underarm	18 "	19 "	20 "	21 "
Fronts: Length from top of shoulder	19 "	19 "	19½ "	19½ "
Width of each at underarm including facing	11 "	11½ "	12 "	12½ "

Be sure to check these measurements before beginning to knit.

Tension: 8 sts. and 10 rows in Stocking st. = 1 inch with No. 10 needles.

Check tension—see page 16.

For Washing Instructions—see page 17.

RIGHT FRONT: **Note:** The vertical stripes are embroidered on the purl ribs when the knitting is completed.

Divide the (A) and (C) evenly in half. Wind the 2 strands of each colour into one ball (A) and one ball (C), to use as double wool.

Beginning at top of shoulder with (B) wool and No. 11 needles cast on 16 sts. for all sizes.

1st row: K1. P14. K1.

2nd row: Cast on 8 sts. K9. P1. K14.

3rd row: K1. P13. K1. P8. K1.

4th row: Cast on 8 sts. (K8. P1) twice. K14.

5th row: K1. P13. K1. P8. K1. P7. K1.

6th row: Cast on 8 sts. K7. (P1. K8) twice. P1. K14.

7th row: K1. P13. (K1. P8) twice. K1. P6. K1.

From this point the instructions are written for size 36. Size 38 is worked exactly as given for size 36. Size 40 is written in brackets thus:—( ). Size 42 is worked exactly as given for size 40. Due to the elasticity of the stitch pattern, the larger sizes can be easily blocked to the required measurements as given.

8th row: Cast on 4 sts. K2. *(40—Cast on 8 sts. K6)*. ★P1. K8. Repeat from ★ twice. P1. K14. (front edge).

9th row: K1. P13. ★K1. P8. Repeat from ★ twice. K1. P1. K1. *(40—K1. P5. K1.)*. (armhole edge).

10th row: K2. *(40—K6)*. ★P1. K8. Repeat from ★ twice. P1. K14. Repeat 9th and 10th rows once, then 9th row once. **Do not break (B) wool.**

Next row: Using the No. 11 needle with points at both ends, with right side of work facing and double (A) wool, work 10th row to last 8 sts. Break (A) wool. Slip the last 8 sts. which are for front facing onto right hand needle. The (A) and (C) stripes are never worked on these 8 sts. Do not turn work around, but pick up (B) wool and with right side of work facing, work 11 rows even in the rib pattern, ending at front edge.

Next row: K1. P6. Inc. 1. st. in next st. purlways. (this begins neck increasings). Work in pattern to end of row. **Do not break (B) wool.**

Next row: Using the No. 11 needle with points at both ends, with right side of work facing and double (C) wool, work in pattern to last 8 sts. Break (C) wool. Slip the last 8 sts. of facing onto right hand needle. Do not turn work around but pick up (B) wool and continue in pattern (that is 12 (K8. P1) rib rows then 1 row of double (A) and (C) alternately), inc. 1. st. for neck as before, every 6th row when working with (B) only. The (A) and (C) rows are always worked even to within the last 8 sts. of row and no shapings are ever worked on these rows. When there are 51 sts. on needle. *(40—55 sts.)* ending with 12th (B) row, work the (A) stripe even, then continue in pattern inc. 1. st. for neck every 4th (B) row to 54 sts. on needle. *(40—58 sts.)*, ending at armhole edge. Work the (C) stripe even.

To shape armhole: Keeping continuity of pattern, inc. 1. st. at armhole edge on next and every alternate row, at same time continue inc. 1. st. for neck every 4th row to 66 sts. on needle. *(40—73 sts.)*, ending at armhole edge.

Keeping continuity of pattern, at armhole edge cast on 2 sts. on next and every alternate row, at same time inc. 1. st. for neck every 2nd row to 81 sts. on needle. *(40—90 sts.)*, ending at armhole edge.

Next row: Cast on 6 sts. Work in pattern to end of row. 87 sts. on needle. *(40—96 sts.)*. Armhole from last cast-on sts. at shoulder now measures approx. 9½ ins. *(40—10 ins.)*.

With (B), work 1 row even in pattern ending at side edge.

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THE CHECK VEST *(continued from page 4)*

To make pocket opening and pocket: With (B), work 50 sts. (*40—54 sts.*) in pattern. Turn. Work 30 sts. in pattern. Turn. (*all sizes*). Working on these 30 sts. Change to No. 12 needles and work 5¼ ins. even in Stocking st. Cast off loosely.

To make pocket hem: With (B) wool and No. 12 needles cast on 30 sts. (*all sizes*). Beginning with knit row work 7 rows even in Stocking st. ending with knit row. Knit 1 more row.

To join pocket hem to front: With right side of front facing and using the right hand needle with the 20 sts. (*40—24 sts.*) on it, with the (B) wool of the pocket hem, continue in ribbed pattern across the 30 sts. of hem, then the remaining 37 sts. (*40—42 sts.*) of front. 87 sts. on needle. (*40—96 sts.*) ending at front edge. Work 12 rows even ending at front edge. (Do not count the (A) stripe).

Keeping continuity of pattern, dec. 1. st. at side edge on next and every following 6th row to 79 sts. on needle. (*40—88 sts.*). Work 4 rows even ending at side edge.

Next row: With (B), work 42 sts. (*40—46 sts.*) in pattern. Turn. Work 30 sts. in pattern for pocket. Turn. (*all sizes*). Make this pocket to correspond to other pocket, working 3¼ ins. even in Stocking st. instead of 5¼ ins. Make the pocket hem and join in row as before, ending at front edge. 79 sts. on needle. (*40—88 sts.*).

Continue dec. 1. st. at side edge on next and every following 6th row to 73 sts. on needle. (*40—82 sts.*). With (B), work 2 rows even in pattern. Side edge now measures approx. 9½ ins. from the 6 cast-on sts. at armhole. (*all sizes*). If longer vest is desired continue even in pattern for required amount.

Keeping continuity of pattern, cast off 4 sts. at side edge on next and every alternate row to 61 sts. on needle. (*40—70 sts.*) ending with purl row. Proceed:—

1st row: Cast off 4 sts. Work in pattern to end of row.

2nd row: K1. P7. P2tog. Work in pattern to end of row.

Repeat 1st. and 2nd rows to 16 sts. on needle. (*40—15 sts.*) ending with purl row.

Next row: Cast off 7 sts. (*40—6 sts.*). K3. Turn.

★Sl. 1. P1. K1. Turn. K6. Turn. Sl. 1. P4. K1. Turn. K9. Turn. K1. P7. K1. Turn. ★K3. Turn. Repeat from ★ to ★ once. Continue even on these 9 sts. in Stocking st. for length sufficient to go along the cast-off lower edge. Cast off. Work the armhole facing exactly as given for Back, see page 10.

LEFT FRONT: Beginning at top of shoulder with (B) wool and No. 11 needles cast on 16 sts. for all sizes.

1st row: K16. **2nd row:** Cast on 8 sts. K1. P8. K1. P13. K1. Substituting knit rows for purl rows and purl rows for knit rows, work the 3rd to 10th rows inclusive as given for Right Front. Repeat 9th and 10th rows once, then 9th row once. **Do not break (B) wool.**

Next row: Using the No. 11 needle with points at both ends, with wrong side of work facing and double (A) wool, work 10th row to last 8 sts. Break (A) wool. Slip the last 8 sts. onto right hand needle. Do not turn work around, but pick up (B) wool and with wrong side of work facing, work 11 rows even in the rib pattern, ending at front edge.

Next row: K7. Inc. 1. st. in next st. (this begins neck increasings). Work in pattern to end of row. Work the (C) stripe as given for (A) stripe.

By substituting knit rows for purl rows and purl rows for knit rows, throughout, all the shapings are automatically reversed. Continue working in this manner from the instructions for Right Front to 81 sts. on needle. (*40—90 sts.*) ending at armhole edge.

Next row: (1st. buttonhole). Cast on 6 sts. Work in pattern to last 14 sts. Cast off 3 sts. P6. Cast off 3 sts. P1. K1.

Next row: K2. Cast on 3 sts. K6. Cast on 3 sts. Work in pattern to end of row. 87 sts. on needle. (*40—96 sts.*). Working 5 more buttonholes in this manner 1¾ ins. apart, make pocket opening and pocket and continue exactly as given for Right Front, making the required substitutions throughout.

To embroider the vertical stripes: Press fronts carefully, blocking to required measurements. Beginning at shoulder, with single (A) wool embroider a row of chain st. along alternate purl ribs, working 1. st. over 2 purl rows and being careful to keep work as elastic as remainder of knitting. With single (C) wool embroider along remaining purl ribs to correspond.

BACK: See page 10.

TO MAKE UP: Press carefully. Darn in ends. Sew pocket hems in position, on wrong side. Cut ribbon in 4 equal pieces. Thread a piece through each hem and adjust to required size. With thread, tack ends lightly and clip off extra lengths. With thread, sew in back stitch along edge of hem catching up ribbon at same time. To back stitch:—Working from right to left, bring needle up to right side of work, ★then put it through to wrong side to the right for about ⅛ inch, then bring it up to right side to the left for about ¼ inch. Repeat from ★ to end of row.

Sew pockets in position, on wrong side, being sure ribbon is covered.

With wool sew the lower border in position along the shaped cast-off edge. Press this seam. Turn entire facing to wrong side and pin in position. With thread, back stitch along edge of front about ⅛ inch from outside edge. With thread, hem the inside edge of facing in position. Finish armhole facing to correspond. With wool, sew in buttonhole stitch around each buttonhole through both front and facing.

Lay the fronts, right side up, on a heavy pad such as two bath towels and steam lightly with damp cloth and hot iron. **Do not** press iron on work.

Finish armhole and neck facings for back as given for fronts, omitting the back stitch along edge of neck. With wool, sew shoulder and side seams. Sew buttons to correspond to buttonholes.

Check Socks

To match the Check Vest illustrated on cover

MATERIALS:

3 ply BEEHIVE FINGERING, PATONISED. 3 ozs. Main Colour (B). ¼ oz. each Contrasting Colours (A) and (C). If you are making the Vest, there will be sufficient (A) and (C) left from it for the Socks. Set of 4 No. 13 Queen Bee Knitting Needles (points at both ends).

MEASUREMENTS: Length of leg to bottom of heel flap 13½ ins.

To shorten leg of sock: Work 1 inch less in ribbed cuff.

Tension: 9½ sts. and 13 rows = 1 inch.

Check tension—see page 16.

For Washing Instructions—see page 17.

Note: The vertical stripes are embroidered on the purl ribs when the knitting is completed.
Divide the (A) and (C) evenly in half. Wind the 2 strands of each colour into one ball (A) and one ball (C), to use as double wool.
With (B) wool cast on 76 sts. **loosely**. (24. 28. 24).
Work 4 ins. ribbing (K1. P1), decreasing 4 sts. in last round. Divide sts. to have 24 sts. on each needle.
1st round: ★ K8. P1. Repeat from ★ to end of round. Repeat 1st. round 11 times. Do not break wool.
13th round: With double (A) wool, repeat 1st. round. Break (A) wool.
With (B) wool, repeat 1st. round 12 times. Do not break wool.
26th round: With double (C) wool, repeat 1st. round. Break (C) wool. These 26 rounds complete pattern for leg of sock. Repeat pattern twice, then with (B) wool, repeat 1st. round 12 times. Work now measures approx. 11 ins. from beginning. Break wool.

To arrange heel stitches: Slip first 18 sts. of round onto one needle. Slip last 19 sts. of round onto another needle. Leave these 2 needles for heel. Put remaining 35 sts. on another needle for instep. Working on these 35 instep sts. join (A) wool and with right side of work facing, proceed:—
1st row: K8. ★P1. K8. Repeat from ★ twice. Break (A) wool. Do not turn work around.
2nd row: With right side of work facing, join (B) wool. K8. ★P1. K8. Repeat from ★ twice.
3rd row: K1. P7. ★K1. P8. Repeat from ★ once. K1. P7. K1. Repeat 2nd and 3rd rows 5 times. Do not break wool.
14th row: With right side of work facing, join (C) wool and repeat 1st. row. Break (C) wool. Do not turn work around.
15th row: With right side of work facing and (B) wool, K8. ★P1. K8. Repeat from ★ twice.
16th row: K1. P7. ★K1. P8. Repeat from ★ once. K1. P7. K1. Repeat 15th and 16th rows 5 times. Do not break wool.
Repeat 1st. to 14th rows inclusive. Break wools. Leave these 35 sts. on one needle until heel and sole have been worked. Proceed:—
Slip the 37 heel sts. onto one needle. With wrong side of work facing, join (B) wool. K1. P11. ★Inc. 1. st. in next st. purlways. P11. Repeat from ★ once. K1. These 39 sts. are for heel of sock.
Make and shape the heel as given on page 15.

To shape instep and make sole: With right side of work facing and (B) wool, pick up and knit 20 sts. along one side of heel, inserting the needle through the knot formed by the st. knitted at beginning and end of each row. Knit 10 sts. from heel needle. With another

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BASKET WEAVE VEST *(continued from page 2)*

To make front border: With No. 12 needles cast on 13 sts.
1st row: K2. ★P1. K1. Repeat from ★ to last st. K1.
2nd row: K1. ★P1. K1. Repeat from ★ to end of row.
Repeat these 2 rows for 10½ ins. *(40—11½ ins.)* ending with 2nd row. This is to be sewn along lower edge and shaped edge of front.
Next row: (1st. buttonhole). K2. P1. K1. Cast off 4 sts. P1. K1. P1. K2.
Next row: (K1. P1) twice. K1. Cast on 4 sts. (P1. K1) twice. Continue in ribbing working 5 more buttonholes 1¾ ins. apart, then continue even in ribbing for 10 ins. *(40—10½ ins.)*. Cast off.

RIGHT FRONT: As this stitch pattern is reversible, work the Right Front as given for the Left Front, omitting the buttonholes in the front border.

BACK: See page 10.

TO MAKE UP: Press pieces carefully. Darn in ends. Placing 1st. buttonhole ½ inch above last increasing at front edge and the last buttonhole ½ inch below first decreasing for neck, sew front band evenly in position on Left Front. Sew band on Right Front to correspond. Sew pocket tops in position on right side and pocket pieces in position on wrong side. Turn armhole facing to wrong side and pin in position. With thread, sew in back stitch along edge of armhole about ⅛ inch from outside edge.
To back stitch:—Working from right to left, bring needle up to right side of work, ★then put it through to wrong side to the right for about ⅛ inch, then bring it up to right side to the left for about ¼ inch. Repeat from ★ to end of row.
With thread, hem the inside edge of armhole facing in position. Finish armhole and neck facings for back as given for fronts, omitting the back stitch along edge of neck. With wool, sew shoulder and side seams. Sew buttons to correspond to buttonholes.

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needle knit remaining 11 heel sts. and pick up and knit 20 sts. along other side of heel. (61 sts. on needles). Working backwards and forwards on these 2 needles, proceed:—
1st row: K1. Purl to last st. on 2nd needle. K1.
2nd row: K1. K2tog. Knit to last 3 sts. on 2nd needle. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. Repeat these 2 rows to 35 sts. on needle. Continue even in Stocking st. until work measures same as instep piece ending with purl row.
Next row: K17. (This is 3rd needle). With another needle knit remaining 18 sts. (This is 1st. needle). With another needle, knit across the 35 instep sts. (This is 2nd needle). Knit to end of 3rd needle. Sts. are now divided:—
1st needle: 18 sts. *2nd needle:* 35 sts. *3rd needle:* 17 sts. Continue even in plain knitting until work measures (from where sts. were picked up for instep):—
6¼ ins. for size 10.
7¼ ins. for size 11.
8¼ ins. for size 12.
Shape the toe and Make Up sock as given on page 15.

To embroider the vertical stripes: Beginning at heel of sock, with single (A) wool embroider a row of chain st. along alternate purl ribs, working 1. st. over 2 purl rows and being careful to keep work as elastic as remainder of knitting. With single (C) wool embroider along remaining purl ribs to correspond.

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Continue in pattern inc. 1. st. at side edge on next and every following 6th row to 84 sts. on needle. *(40—92 sts.)*, working increased sts. in pattern.
Continue even in pattern until work measures 8½ ins. from last cast-on sts. at lower edge or desired length, ending at side edge. *(all sizes)*.

To shape armhole and neck: Keeping continuity of pattern, at armhole edge cast off 8 sts. once, then 3 sts. every alternate row twice, ending at armhole edge. 70 sts. on needle. *(40—78 sts.)*.

Next row: Cast off 2 sts. Work in pattern to last 2 sts. K2tog. (neck edge). **Next row:** Work even in pattern. Repeat last 2 rows twice, ending at neck edge. 61 sts. on needle. *(40—69 sts.)*.
Continue casting off 2 sts. at armhole edge every alternate row twice, at same time dec. 1. st. at neck edge on following 4th row, ending at neck edge. 56 sts. on needle. *(40—64 sts.)*.
Dec. 1. st. at armhole edge every alternate row, at same time dec. 1. st. at neck edge every 6th row to 46 sts. on needle. *(40—48 sts.)*.
Keeping armhole edge even continue dec. 1. st. at neck edge every 6th row to 32 sts. on needle. *(40—36 sts.)*. Continue even in pattern until armhole from first shaping measures 9½ ins. *(40—10 ins.)*.

To shape shoulder: Keeping continuity of pattern, at armhole edge cast off 8 sts. *(40—9 sts.)* every alternate row 4 times. Work the armhole facing exactly as given for Back, see page 10.

To make front border: With (B) wool and No. 12 needles cast on 13 sts.

1st row: K2. ★P1. K1. Repeat from ★ to last st. K1.

2nd row: K1. ★P1. K1. Repeat from ★ to end of row. Repeat these 2 rows for 10½ ins. *(40—11½ ins.)* ending with 2nd row. This is to be sewn along lower edge and shaped edge of front.

Next row: (1st. buttonhole). K2. P1. K1. Cast off 4 sts. P1. K1. P1. K2.
Next row: (K1. P1) twice. K1. Cast on 4 sts. (P1. K1) twice.

Continue in ribbing, working 5 more buttonholes 1¾ ins. apart, then continue even in ribbing for 10 ins. *(40—10½ ins.)*. Cast off.

RIGHT FRONT: Beginning at lower edge with (B) wool and No. 11 needles cast on 4 sts. for all sizes.

1st row: Knit.

2nd row: Cast on 4 sts. K1. Purl to last st. Inc. 1. st. in last st.

3rd row: Knit.

4th row: Cast on 4 sts. Join (A) wool. With (A), K1. P1. Keeping (A) to front of work, slip next 2 sts. purlways. ★P2. Sl. 2. Repeat from ★ to last st. Inc. 1. st. in last st.

5th row: With (A), K2. ★Keeping (A) at back of work, slip next 2 sts. purlways. K2. Repeat from ★ to end of row. Break (A) wool. Repeat 2nd and 3rd rows twice.

To automatically reverse shapings, substitute knit rows for purl rows and purl rows for knit rows. Beginning with 10th row, work exactly as given for Left Front, omitting buttonholes in the front border.

BACK: See page 10.

TO MAKE UP: See "The Basket Weave", left column.

the Polka Dot vest

(Illustrated on opposite page)

MATERIALS:

3 ply BEEHIVE FINGERING, PATONISED. 6 ozs. Main Colour (B). ***(38—7 ozs.)*** ***(40—7 ozs.)*** ***(42—8 ozs.)*** 1 oz. Contrasting Colour (A). ***(all sizes)***. Two No. 12, two No. 11 and two No. 10 Queen Bee Knitting Needles. 6 Buttons. One spool sewing thread to match Main Colour (B).

MEASUREMENTS:

Chest	36 ins.	38 ins.	40 ins.	42 ins.
Back: Length from top of shoulder	19½ "	19½ "	20 "	20 "
Width at underarm	18 "	19 "	20 "	21 "
Fronts: Length from top of shoulder without border	18 "	18 "	18½ "	18½ "
Width of each at underarm without border	9 "	9½ "	10 "	10½ "

Be sure to check these measurements before beginning to knit.

Tension: 8 sts. and 10 rows in Stocking st. = 1 inch with No. 10 needles.

Check tension—see page 16.

For Washing Instructions—see page 17.

LEFT FRONT: Beginning at lower edge with (B) wool and No. 11 needles cast on 4 sts. for all sizes.

1st row: K1. Purl to last st. K1.

2nd row: Cast on 4 sts. Knit to last st. Inc. 1. st. in last st.

3rd row: K1. Purl to last st. K1.

4th row: Cast on 4 sts. Join (A) wool. With (A), ★K2. Keeping (A) at back of work, slip next 2 sts. purlways. Repeat from ★ to last st. Inc. 1. st. in last st.

5th row: With (A), K1. P1. ★Keeping (A) to front of work, slip next 2 sts. purlways. P2. Repeat from ★ to end of row. Break (A) wool. Repeat 2nd and 3rd rows twice.

10th row: Cast on 2 sts. Join (A) wool. With (A), ★K2. Sl. 2. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. K1. Inc. 1. st. in last st.

11th row: With (A), K1. P2. ★Sl. 2. P2. Repeat from ★ to end of row. Break (A) wool. Repeat 2nd and 3rd rows twice.

16th row: Cast on 6 sts. Join (A) wool. With (A), ★K2. Sl. 2. Repeat from ★ to last 3 sts. K2. Inc. 1. st. in last st.

17th row: With (A), K1. P3. ★Sl. 2. P2. Repeat from ★ to end of row. Break (A) wool.

18th row: Cast on 4 sts. Knit to end of row.

19th row: K1. Purl to last st. K1. Repeat 18th and 19th rows once.

22nd row: Cast on 2 sts. Join (A) wool. With (A), ★K2. Sl. 2. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. K2.

23rd row: With (A), K1. P1. ★Sl. 2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. Sl. 2. P1. K1. Break (A) wool. (54 sts. on needle).

*From this point the instructions are written for size **36**. Size **38** is worked exactly as given for size **36**. Size 40 is written in brackets thus:—( ). Size 42 is worked exactly as given for size 40. Due to the elasticity of the stitch pattern, the larger sizes can be easily blocked to the required measurements as given.*

24th row: Cast on 4 sts. ***(40—6 sts.)***. Knit to end of row.

25th row: K1. Purl to last st. K1. Repeat 24th and 25th rows once.

28th row: Cast on 2 sts. ***(all sizes)***. Join (A) wool. With (A), ★K2. Sl. 2. Repeat from ★ to end of row.

29th row: With (A), ★Sl. 2. P2. Repeat from ★ to end of row. Break (A) wool. Repeat 24th and 25th rows twice. 72 sts. on needle. ***(40—80 sts.)***. Join (A) wool and proceed:—

1st row: With (A), ★Sl. 2. K2. Repeat from ★ to end of row.

2nd row: With (A), K1. P1. ★Sl. 2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. Sl. 2. Do not break (A) wool, but carry the colours from one stripe to the next by twisting the one to be used around the other just used, at back of work, when starting next stripe.

3rd row: With (B), knit to end of row.

4th row: With (B), K1. Purl to last st. K1.

5th and 6th rows: As 3rd and 4th rows.

7th row: With (A), ★K2. Sl. 2. Repeat from ★ to end of row.

8th row: With (A), ★Sl. 2. P2. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. Sl. 2. P1. K1.

9th row: With (B), knit to end of row. (front edge).

10th row: With (B), K1. Purl to last st. K1. (side edge).

11th and 12th rows: As 9th and 10th rows. These 12 rows complete one pattern.

Work 1st. to 4th rows inclusive of next pattern. Keeping continuity of pattern, inc. 1. st. at side edge on next and following 6th row ending at front edge. 74 sts. on needle. ***(40—82 sts.)***.

To make pocket opening and pocket top: K1. P55. ***(40—K1. P59)***. Turn. Change to No. 12 needles. (K1. P1) 18 times. Turn. ***(all sizes)***. Working on these 36 sts. for pocket top, work 8 more rows in ribbing. Cast off loosely in ribbing.

To make and insert pocket piece: With (B) wool and No. 12 needles cast on 36 sts. and work 2½ ins. even in Stocking st. ending with knit row. (When making Right Front, end with purl row). Using the needle of the front with the 20 sts. ***(40—24 sts.)*** on it and the wool of the pocket piece, purl across the 36 sts. of pocket piece, then the remaining 18 sts. ***(40—22 sts.)*** of the front ending at side edge. 74 sts. on needle. ***(40—82 sts.)***.

Work 4 rows even in pattern ending at side edge.

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the Back
for all the Vests

Instructions for Knitting the Back

Be sure you are working to the correct tension—8 sts. and 10 rows=1 inch—with No. 10 needles before you begin to knit.

For Sizes		36	38	40	42
With (B) wool and No. 12 needles cast on	sts.	132	140	148	156
1st row: K3. ★P2. K2. Repeat from ★ to last st. K1. **2nd row:** K1. ★P2. K2. Repeat from ★ to last 3 sts. P2. K1. Repeat these 2 rows of ribbing for	ins.	1½	1½	1½	1½
Change to No. 10 needles and continue in ribbing inc. 1. st. each end of needle on 5th and every following 6th row to working increased sts. in ribbing.	sts.	152	160	168	176
Continue even in ribbing until work from beginning measures or desired length.	ins.	9½	9½	9½	9½
Armholes: Keeping continuity of ribbing, beginning next 2 rows cast off	sts.	4	5	6	7
Beginning next 2 rows cast off	sts.	2	3	4	5
Dec. 1. st. each end of needle, every following row to	sts.	116	120	124	128
Continue even in ribbing until armhole from first shaping measures ending with 2nd row of ribbing. With right side of work facing, proceed:—	ins.	10	10	10½	10½
Shoulders: Keeping continuity of ribbing, beginning next 4 rows cast off	sts.	9	9	10	10
Beginning next 3 rows cast off	sts.	8	9	9	10
Next row: Cast off K3. ★K2tog. K2. Repeat from ★ to last st. K1. Change to No. 11 needles. Proceed:— **1st row:** Cast on 8 sts. Knit to end of row. **2nd row:** Cast on 8 sts. K1. Purl to last st. K1. Work 4 rows even in Stocking st. Continue in Stocking st. dec. 1. st. beginning next 4 rows. Cast off **loosely.** The last 10 rows form facing for back of neck.	sts.	8	9	9	10
Armhole facing: With right side of work facing, (B) wool and No. 10 needles, pick up and knit along one armhole edge	sts.	83	83	87	87
Purl 1 row. Knit 1 row. Purl 1 row. **4th row:** ★K7. Inc. 1. st. in next st. Repeat from ★ 9 times. Knit to end of row. Work 5 rows even in Stocking st. Cast off **loosely.** Work other facing to correspond.					

Polka Dot Socks

To match the Polka Dot Vest, illustrated on page 9

This view shows a medium shade for the background as a variation from a dark shade as shown in the Vest.

MATERIALS:

3 ply BEEHIVE FINGERING, PATONISED. 3 ozs. Main Colour (B) for sizes up to 11. Sizes 11½ and 12, 4 ozs. ½ oz. Contrasting Colour (A). Set of 4 No. 13 Queen Bee Knitting Needles (points at both ends).

MEASUREMENTS: Length of leg to bottom of heel flap 13½ ins.

To shorten leg of sock: Work 1 inch less in ribbed cuff.

Tension: 9½ sts. and 13 rows = 1 inch.

Check tension—see page 16.

For Washing Instructions—see page 17.

With (B) wool cast on 76 sts. loosely. (24. 28. 24). Work 4 ins. ribbing (K1. P1). Knit 2 rounds. Join (A) wool. Proceed:—

1st and 2nd rounds: With (A), ★K2. Keeping (A) at back of work, slip next 2 sts. purlways. Repeat from ★ to end of round. Do not break (A) wool. Carrying the colours from one stripe to the next by twisting the one to be used around the other just used, at back of work, when starting next stripe, continue:—

3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th rounds: With (B), knit.

7th and 8th rounds: With (A), ★Slip next 2 sts. purlways. K2. Repeat from ★ to end of round.

9th, 10th, 11th and 12th rounds: With (B), knit.

These 12 rounds complete pattern for leg of sock. Continue even in pattern until work measures approx. 11 ins. from beginning ending with 12th pattern round. Break both wools.

To arrange heel stitches: Slip first 20 sts. of round onto one needle. Slip last 20 sts. of round onto another needle. Leave these 2 needles for heel. Put remaining 36 sts. on another needle for instep. Working on these 36 instep sts. join wools and with right side of work facing, proceed:—

1st row: With (A), ★K2. Keeping (A) at back of work, slip next 2 sts. purlways. Repeat from ★ to end of row.

2nd row: With (A), ★Keeping (A) at front of work, slip next 2 sts. purlways. P2. Repeat from ★ to end of row.

3rd row: With (B), knit.

4th row: With (B), K1. Purl to last st. K1. Repeat 3rd and 4th rows once.

7th row: With (A), ★Slip 2 sts. K2. Repeat from ★ to end of row.

8th row: With (A), ★P2. Slip 2 sts. Repeat from ★ to end of row. Repeat 3rd and 4th rows twice. These 12 rows complete pattern for instep of sock. Repeat pattern 3 times, inc. 1. st. at end of last row. Break wools. Leave these 37 sts. on one needle until heel and sole have been worked. Proceed:—

Slip the 40 heel sts. onto one needle. With wrong side of work facing, join (B) wool. K1. P18. P2tog. P18. K1. These 39 sts. are for heel of sock.

Make and shape the heel as given on page 15.

To shape instep and make sole: With right side of work facing and (B) wool, pick up and knit 20 sts. along one side of heel, inserting the needle through the knot formed by the st. knitted at beginning and end of each row. Knit 10 sts. from heel needle. With another needle knit remaining 11 heel sts. and pick up and knit 20 sts. along other side of heel. (61 sts. on needles).

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the Houndstooth vest

(Illustrated on opposite page)

MATERIALS:

3 ply BEEHIVE FINGERING, PATONISED. 6 ozs. Main Colour (B). *(38—7 ozs.)* *(40—7 ozs.)* *(42—8 ozs.)*. 1 oz. each Contrasting Colours (A) and (C). *(all sizes)*. Two No. 12, two No. 11 and two No. 10 Queen Bee Knitting Needles. 6 Buttons. ½ yd. Grosgrain Ribbon ½ inch wide and one spool sewing thread to match Main Colour (B).

MEASUREMENTS:

Chest	36 ins.	38 ins.	40 ins.	42 ins.
Back: Length from top of shoulder	19½ "	19½ "	20 "	20 "
Width at underarm	18 "	19 "	20 "	21 "
Fronts: Length from top of shoulder	19 "	19 "	19½ "	19½ "
Width of each at underarm including facing	11 "	11½ "	12 "	12½ "

Be sure to check these measurements before beginning to knit.

Tension: 8 sts. and 10 rows in Stocking st. = 1 inch with No. 10 needles.

Check tension—see page 16.

For Washing Instructions—see page 17.

The instructions are written for size 36. Size 38 is worked exactly as given for size 36. Size 40 is written in brackets thus:—( ). Size 42 is worked exactly as given for size 40. Due to the elasticity of the stitch pattern, the larger sizes can be easily blocked to the required measurements as given.

RIGHT FRONT: Beginning at top of shoulder with (B) wool and No. 11 needles cast on 16 sts. *(40—20 sts.)*.

1st row: K1. Purl to last st. K1.
2nd row: Cast on 8 sts. Knit to end of row.
3rd row: K1. Purl to last st. K1.
4th row: Cast on 8 sts. Join (A) wool. With (A), ★K3. Keeping (A) at back of work, Sl. 1. purlways. Repeat from ★ to last 8 sts. K8.
5th row: With (A), K1. P7. ★Keeping (A) to front of work, Sl. 1. purlways. P3. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. Sl. 1. P2. K1. Break (A) wool.
6th row: Cast on 8 sts. K9. ★Sl. 1. K3. Repeat from ★ to last 7 sts. K7.
7th row: K1. P9. ★Sl. 1. P3. Repeat from * to last 6 sts. P5. K1.
8th row: Cast on 8 sts. Knit to end of row.
9th row: K1. Purl to last st. K1. 48 sts. on needle. *(40—52 sts.)*. Join (C) wool. Proceed:—

1st row: With (C), K1. ★Sl. 1. K3. Repeat from ★ to last 11 sts. Sl. 1. K2. Turn. (The last 8 sts. form the front facing and the (C) stripe is never worked on these sts.).

2nd row: P2. ★Sl. 1. P3. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. Sl. 1. K1. Do not break (C) wool. (armhole edge).
3rd row: With (B), ★K3. Sl. 1. Repeat from ★ to last 8 sts. K8.
4th row: With (B), K1. P7. ★Sl. 1. P3. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. Sl. 1. P2. K1.
5th row: With (B), knit.
6th row: With (B), K1. Purl to last st. K1. (This is a purl row in (B) to which reference will be made when working the various shapings). Join (A) wool. Carrying the colours from one stripe to the next by twisting the one to be used around the other just used, at back of work, when starting next stripe, continue:—
7th row: With (A), ★K3. Sl. 1. Repeat from ★ to last 8 sts. K8.
8th row: With (A), K1. P7. ★Sl. 1. P3. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. Sl. 1. P2. K1.
9th row: With (B), K1. ★Sl. 1. K3. Repeat from ★ to last 7 sts. K7.
10th row: With (B), K1. P9. ★Sl. 1. P3. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. Sl. 1. K1.
11th row: With (B), knit.
12th row: With (B), K1. Purl to last st. K1. (This is another purl row in (B) to which reference will be made when working the various shapings). These 12 rows complete one pattern. Work 1st. to 5th rows inclusive of next pattern.
Next row: With (B), K1. P6. Inc. 1. st. in next st. purlways. (this begins neck increasings). Purl to last st. K1.
Keeping continuity of pattern and working increased sts. in pattern, inc. 1. st. for neck in this manner every 6th row to 60 sts. on needle. *(40—64 sts.)* ending with purl row in (B).
Inc. 1. st. at neck edge on following 4th row, ending at armhole edge.

To shape armhole: Keeping continuity of pattern, inc. 1. st. at armhole edge on next and every alternate row, at same time continue inc. 1. st. for neck every 4th row as before to 76 sts. on needle. *(40—80 sts.)* ending at armhole edge. Proceed:—

Size 36—Cast on 2 sts. at armhole edge on next and every alternate row, at same time inc. 1. st. for neck on 4th and every following 2nd row to 87 sts. on needle, then keeping neck edge even cast on 3 sts. at armhole edge on next and following alternate row, ending with purl row in (B) at armhole edge. 93 sts. on needle. Work now measures approx. 9½ ins. from last cast-on sts. at shoulder. This is depth of armhole.

*(**Size 40**—Inc. 1. st. at armhole edge on next and following alternate row ending at neck edge. Inc. 1. st. for neck on next and every following 4th row, at same time casting on 2 sts. at armhole edge every alternate row to 95 sts. on needle, ending at armhole edge. Cast on 3 sts. at armhole edge on next and following alternate row, at same time inc. 1. st. for neck as before, once more, ending with purl row in (B) at armhole edge. 102 sts. on needle. Work now measures approx. 10 ins. from last cast-on sts. at shoulder. This is depth of armhole).*

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Hounds-tooth Socks

To match the Houndstooth Vest illustrated on page 13

MATERIALS:
3 ply **BEEHIVE FINGERING, PATONISED.** 3 ozs. Main Colour (B). ½ oz. each Contrasting Colours (A) and (C). If you are making the Vest, there will be sufficient (A) and (C) left from it, for the Socks. Set of 4 No. 13 Queen Bee Knitting Needles (points at both ends).

MEASUREMENTS: Length of leg to bottom of heel flap 13½ ins.

To shorten leg of sock: Work 1 inch less in ribbed cuff.

Tension: 9½ sts. and 13 rows = 1 inch.

Check tension—see page 16.

For Washing Instructions—see page 17.

With (B) wool cast on 76 sts. **loosely.** (24. 28. 24). Work 4 ins. ribbing (K1. P1). Knit 2 rounds. Join (A) wool. Proceed:—

1st and 2nd rounds: With (A), K1. ★Keeping (A) at back of work, Sl. 1. purlways K3. Repeat from ★ to last 3 sts. of round. Sl. 1. K2. Do not break (A) wool.

3rd and 4th rounds: With (B), ★K3. Sl. 1. purlways. Repeat from ★ to end of round.

5th and 6th rounds: With (B), knit. Join (C) wool. Carrying the colours from one stripe to the next by twisting the one to be used around the other just used, at back of work, when starting next stripe, continue:—

7th and 8th rounds: With (C), ★K3. Sl. 1. purlways Repeat from ★ to end of round.

9th and 10th rounds: With (B), K1. ★Sl. 1. purlways. K3. Repeat from ★ to last 3 sts. of round. Sl. 1. K2.

11th and 12th rounds: With (B), knit. These 12 rounds complete pattern for leg of sock. Continue even in pattern until work measures approx. 11 ins. from beginning ending with 12th pattern round. Break wools.

To arrange heel stitches: Slip first 20 sts. of round onto one needle. Slip last 19 sts. of round onto another needle. Leave these 2 needles for heel. Put remaining 37 sts. on another needle for instep. Working on the 37 instep sts. join wools and with right side of work facing, proceed:—

1st row: With (A), K1. ★Keeping (A) at back of work, Sl. 1. purlways. K3. Repeat from ★ to end of row.

2nd row: With (A), K1. P2. ★Keeping (A) to front of work, Sl. 1. purlways. P3. Repeat from ★ to last 2 sts. Sl. 1. purlways. K1.

3rd row: With (B), ★K3. Sl. 1. purlways. Repeat from ★ to last st. K1.

4th row: With (B), K1. ★Sl. 1. purlways. P3. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. Sl. 1. purlways. P2. K1.

5th row: With (B), knit.

6th row: With (B), K1. Purl to last st. K1.

7th row: With (C), ★K3. Sl. 1. purlways. Repeat from ★ to last st. K1.

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8th row: With (C), K1. ★Sl. 1. purlways. P3. Repeat from ★ to last 4 sts. Sl. 1. purlways. P2. K1.

9th row: With (B), K1. ★Sl. 1. purlways. K3. Repeat from ★ to end of row.

10th row: With (B), K1. P2. *Sl. 1. purlways. P3. Repeat from * to last 2 sts. Sl. 1. purlways. K1.

11th row: With (B), knit.

12th row: With (B), K1. Purl to last st. K1. These 12 rows complete pattern for instep of sock. Repeat pattern twice. Break wools. Leave these 37 sts. on one needle until heel and sole have been worked. Proceed:—

Slip the 39 heel sts. onto one needle. With wrong side of work facing, join (B) wool. K1. Purl to last st. K1. These 39 sts. are for heel of sock.

Make and shape the heel as given in right column.

To shape instep and make sole: With right side of work facing and (B) wool, pick up and knit 20 sts. along one side of heel, inserting the needle through the knot formed by the st. knitted at beginning and end of each row. Knit 10 sts. from heel needle. With another needle knit remaining 11 heel sts. and pick up and knit 20 sts. along other side of heel. (61 sts. on needles). Working backwards and forwards on these 2 needles, proceed:—

1st row: K1. Purl to last st. on 2nd needle. K1.

2nd row: K1. K2tog. Knit to last 3 sts. on 2nd needle. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. Repeat these 2 rows to 33 sts. on needle. Continue even in Stocking st. until work measures same as instep piece ending with purl row.

Next row: K16. (This is 3rd needle). With another needle knit remaining 17 sts. (This is 1st. needle). With another needle, knit across the 37 instep sts. (This is 2nd needle). Knit to end of 3rd needle. Sts. are now divided:— *1st. needle*: 17 sts. *2nd needle*: 37 sts. *3rd needle*: 16 sts. Continue even in plain knitting until work measures (from where sts. were picked up for instep):—

6¼ ins. for size 10.
7¼ ins. for size 11.
8¼ ins. for size 12.

Slip 1. st. from each end of 2nd needle onto 1st. and 3rd needles. (18. 35. 17).

Shape the toe and Make Up sock as given in right column.

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Working backwards and forwards on these 2 needles, proceed:—

1st row: K1. Purl to last st. on 2nd needle. K1.

2nd row: K1. K2tog. Knit to last 3 sts. on 2nd needle. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. Repeat these 2 rows to 33 sts. on needle. Continue even in Stocking st. until work measures same as instep piece ending with purl row.

Next row: K16. (This is 3rd needle). With another needle knit remaining 17 sts. (This is 1st. needle). With another needle, knit across the 37 instep sts. (This is 2nd needle). Knit to end of 3rd needle. Sts. are now divided:— *1st needle:* 17 sts. *2nd needle:* 37 sts. *3rd needle:* 16 sts. Continue even in plain knitting until work measures (from where sts. were picked up for instep):—

6¼ ins. for size 10.
7¼ ins. for size 11.
8¼ ins. for size 12.

Slip 1. st. from each end of 2nd needle onto 1st. and 3rd needles. (18. 35. 17).

Shape the toe and Make Up sock as given in right column.

Heel and Toe Shapings and Make-up for All Socks

To make the heel: 1st row: ★K1. Sl. 1. being very careful not to tighten the wool behind the slipped st. This prevents a ridge. Repeat from ★ to last st. K1.

2nd row: K1. Purl to last st. K1. Repeat these 2 rows for 2½ ins. ending with 1st. row. Proceed:—

To shape the heel: 1st row: K1. P19. P2tog. P1. Turn.

2nd row: K3. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. Turn.

3rd row: P4. P2tog. P1. Turn.

4th row: K5. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. Turn.

5th row: P6. P2tog. P1. Turn.

6th row: K7. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. Turn.

7th row: P8. P2tog. P1. Turn.

8th row: K9. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. Turn.

9th row: P10. P2tog. P1. Turn.

10th row: K11. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. Turn.

11th row: P12. P2tog. P1. Turn.

12th row: K13. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. Turn.

13th row: P14. P2tog. P1. Turn.

14th row: K15. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. Turn.

15th row: P16. P2tog. P1. Turn.

16th row: K17. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. Turn.

17th row: P18. P2tog. P1. Turn.

18th row: K19. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. K1. (21 sts. on needle). Break wool. **Note:** If you are making the Basket Weave Socks, **do not** break wool.

Shape instep and sole as given in original instructions.

To shape toe: 1st round: *1st needle*: Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1. *2nd needle*: K1. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. Knit to last 3 sts. K2tog. K1. *3rd needle*: K1. Sl. 1. K1. p.s.s.o. Knit to end of needle.

2nd round: Knit across each needle. Repeat these 2 rounds to 30 sts. in round. Knit the sts. of 1st. needle onto end of 3rd needle. Break wool, leaving end 12 ins. long. Thread end through a wool needle and graft toe as follows:—

To Graft Toe: ★Inserting the wool needle as if for knitting into 1st. st. of front needle, draw it through the st. and slip the latter off the needle; inserting the needle, as if for purling into 2nd st. of front needle, draw the wool through and let the st. remain on the needle; taking the wool under front needle and inserting the wool needle, as if for purling, into 1st. st. of back needle, draw the wool through this st. and slip the latter off the needle; inserting the needle, as if for knitting, into the 2nd st. of back needle, draw the wool through and let the st. remain on the needle; bring the wool forward under the needles and repeat from ★ until all sts. are worked off, darning in the end of wool securely.

To make up Socks: Darn in all ends. Sew instep seams. Put on wooden sock stretchers of correct size. Press with damp towel and hot iron, being careful not to flatten ribbing. Leave flat until dry. If you are making the Check Socks, embroider the vertical stripes as given in the original instructions.

After washing always dry flat on wooden sock stretchers.

HOUNDSTOOTH VEST *(continued from page 12)*

With (B), cast on 8 sts. *(all sizes)* beginning next row to complete armhole shaping. With contrasting colour, work in pattern to end of row. 101 sts. on needle. *(40—110 sts.)*. Work 16 more rows even in pattern ending at front edge.

Keeping continuity of pattern dec. 1. st. at side edge on next row (the purl row in (B).) and every following 6th row to 90 sts. on needle. *(40—99 sts.)* ending at side edge.

To make pocket opening and pocket: Work 52 sts. *(40—56 sts.)* in pattern. Turn. Work 35 sts. in pattern. Turn. *(all sizes)*. Break wool. Working on these 35 sts. for pocket, join another ball (B) and work next 2 rows in pattern. Change to No. 12 needles and continue even in Stocking st. for 3 ins. Cast off **loosely**.

To make pocket hem: With (B) wool and No. 12 needles cast on 35 sts. *(all sizes)*. Beginning with knit row work 7 rows even in Stocking st. ending with knit row. Knit 1 more row. Break wool.

To join pocket hem to front: With right side of front facing and using the right hand needle with the 17 sts. *(40—21 sts.)* on it and with the corresponding contrasting colour, work in pattern across the 35 sts. of pocket hem (being sure right side of pocket hem is facing), then work in pattern across remaining 38 sts. *(40—43 sts.)* of front. 90 sts. on needle. *(40—99 sts.)*.
Continue dec. 1. st. at side edge on 5th and every following 6th row as before, to 85 sts. on needle. *(40—94 sts.)*.
Work 16 rows even in pattern ending at side edge. Side edge now measures approx. 9½ ins. from the 8 cast-on sts. at armhole. *(all sizes)*. If a longer vest is required, work the desired amount being sure to end with the 2nd row (B) after a contrasting coloured stripe.
Keeping continuity of pattern, cast off 4 sts. at side edge on next and every alternate row to 69 sts. on needle. *(40—78 sts.)* ending with purl row in (B). Proceed:—
1st row: Cast off 4 sts. Work in pattern to last 8 sts. Turn.
2nd row: P2tog. (the 1st. and 2nd sts. of front). Work in pattern to end of row.
3rd row: Cast off 4 sts. Work in pattern to end of row.
4th row: K1. P7. P2tog. Work in pattern to end of row.
5th row: With (B), cast off 4 sts. Knit to end of row.
6th row: With (B), K1. P7. P2tog. Purl to last st. K1. Repeat these 6 rows to 14 sts. on needle. *(40—18 sts.)*. Break (A) and (C) wools.
Next row: Cast off 5 sts. *(40—9 sts.)*. K3. Turn. ★Sl. 1. P1. K1. Turn. K6. Turn. Sl. 1. P4. K1. Turn. K9. Turn. K1. P7. K1. Turn.★ K3. Turn. Repeat from ★ to ★ once.
Continue even on these 9 sts. in Stocking st. for length sufficient to go along the cast-off lower edge. Cast off. Work the armhole facing exactly as given for Back, see page 10.

LEFT FRONT: Beginning at top of shoulder with (B) wool and No. 11 needles cast on 16 sts. *(40—20 sts.)*. **1st row:** Knit. **2nd row:** Cast on 8 sts. K1. Purl to last st. K1.
3rd row: Knit.
4th row: Cast on 8 sts. Join (A) wool. With (A), K1. P2. Keeping (A) to front of work, Sl. 1. purlways. ★P3. Sl. 1. purlways. Repeat from ★ to last 8 sts. P7. K1.

(Continued in next column)

5th row: With (A), K8. ★Keeping (A) at back of work, Sl. 1. purlways. K3. Repeat from ★ to end of row. **Break** (A) wool.
To automatically reverse shapings, substitute knit rows for purl rows and purl rows for knit rows. Beginning with 6th row, work exactly as given for Right Front to 90 sts. on needle. *(40—99 sts.)* ending at armhole **edge**.
Next row: (1st. buttonhole). With (B), cast on 3 sts. (the last group of 3 sts. to be cast on for armhole). K1. Purl to last 14 sts. Cast off 3 sts. P6. Cast off 3 sts. P1. K1.
Next row: With (B), K2. Cast on 3 sts. K6. Cast on 3 sts. Knit to end of row. 93 sts. on needle. *(40—102 sts.)*.

To make upper pocket opening and pocket: Cast on 8 sts. *(all sizes)*. Work 61 sts. *(40—65 sts.)* in pattern. Turn. Work 35 sts. in pattern. Turn. *(all sizes)*. Break wool. Working on these 35 sts. for pocket, join another ball (B) and work next 2 rows in pattern. Change to No. 12 needles and beginning with purl row, continue even in Stocking st. for 5 ins. Cast off **loosely**.

To make pocket hem: With (B) wool and No. 12 needles cast on 35 sts. *(all sizes)*. Beginning with purl row work 7 rows even in Stocking st. ending with purl row. Purl 1 more row. Break wool.

To join pocket hem to front: With wrong side of front facing and using the right hand needle with the 26 sts. *(40—30 sts.)* on it and with the corresponding contrasting colour, work in pattern across the 35 sts. of pocket hem (being sure the wrong side of pocket hem is facing), then work in pattern across remaining 40 sts. *(40—45 sts.)* of front. 101 sts. on needle. *(40—110 sts.)*. Work 16 rows even in pattern ending at front edge. Dec. 1. st. at side edge on next row then work 4 rows even.

Next row: (2nd buttonhole). With (B), K1. Purl to last 14 sts. Cast off 3 sts. P6. Cast off 3 sts. P1. K1.
Next row: With (B), K2. Cast on 3 sts. K6. Cast on 3 sts. Knit to last 2 sts. K2tog.
Working 4 more buttonholes in this manner on every 23rd and 24th rows, continue exactly as given for Right Front, making the required substitutions throughout.

BACK: See page 10.

TO MAKE UP: As there are 3 pockets in this vest, cut the ribbon in 3 equal parts and make up exactly as given for "The Check", see page 5.

CHECK THE TENSION

The garments in this book are worked to the exact tension given. They are closely knitted to insure a firm fabric that will wear better and keep its shape longer than a loosely knitted fabric. *Check your tension.* Before beginning your garment take the wool and needles specified. Cast on 20 stitches. Work 20 rows stocking stitch. Lay work flat on a table and place a ruler across the stitches. Count the number of stitches to one inch and compare with the tension given in the instructions. All given tension in Beehive instructions is measured over stocking stitch. If your tension is too loose try a size smaller needle. If your tension is too tight try a size larger needle. *Be sure to work to exact tension given if you want your garment to work to correct size.*

WASHING AND DRYING WOOLLEN GARMENTS

The beauty of your hand knit woollen garments can be easily retained after many washings, provided a few simple rules are followed.

Before washing, measure the garment and note measurements carefully.

Lukewarm Water and Good Suds

1. USE GOOD MILD SOAP OR SOAP FLAKES. Dissolve sufficient quantity to make good **lukewarm** suds.
2. Squeeze the suds gently through and through the garment until clean. Never rub a woollen garment. Keep the garment **supported by hands when removing from water,** because the weight of the wet garment may stretch the fabric.

Rinse Twice to Remove all Soap

3. Rinse in clean, lukewarm water, gently squeezing to REMOVE ALL SOAP. Keep garment **supported by hands when removing from water.**
4. Rinse a second time in clean, lukewarm water making doubly sure to REMOVE ALL SOAP. Keep garment **supported by hands when removing from water.**

Remove All Moisture

5. Never let the garment lie wet, but remove all moisture at once by rolling in a clean, thick towel.

Dry Slowly on Flat Surface

6. Remove garment from towel, lay on a flat surface AWAY FROM HEAT. Pin to required measurements using rustless pins.

Wool and Silk Mixture

In case of woollen garments containing a thread of artificial silk, add a little vinegar to the second rinsing water.

Plain and Fancy Patterned Socks

Follow the same instructions. In the case of fancy patterns with various colours of wool add a little vinegar to the second rinsing water. Put on wooden stretchers. DO NOT HANG UP—dry on a flat surface.

Patonised Wools

To ensure the fullest benefit of increased wearing properties, it is recommended that these washing instructions be followed for garments knitted from PATONISED Shrink-resist yarns.
It is absolutely wrong to put woollen garments to soak: to use strong soap, soda, boiling—or even very hot—water, (or in the case of white garments especially, a dirty sud!), to let them lie in a wet state, or to hang them up to dry.

To Press a Finished Garment

For plain, smooth fabric: Place all knitted pieces on a thick pad wrong side out. Baste to shape and size desired being careful to keep the weave quite straight. Cover with a damp bath towel. Smooth EVENLY with a WARM iron. Remove towel and leave until dry. **For raised and fancy patterns:** Baste into position and cover with a wet towel but DO NOT PRESS. Pat gently but firmly with the hand. Remove towel and leave until dry.

Use the Yarn the Pattern Calls for

Use only Patons and Baldwins yarns, and Queen Bee Knitting Needles for any of the garments in this book.

Buy the Quantity of Yarn the Pattern Calls for

—at the time you make your initial purchase, making sure it is the one dye lot. This will prevent a disappointment later on when you might find you could not exactly match the colour.

Abbreviations

KNITTING—K = knit plain. P = purl. p.s.s.o. = pass slip stitch over. w.r.n. = wool round needle. w.o.n. = wool over needle. wl. fwd. = wool forward. tog. = together. ins. = inches. dec. = decrease. inc. = increase. t.b.l. = through back of loops.
The star symbol (★)—This indicates that the directions immediately following are to be repeated. When directions call for repeating a given number of times, it is understood this is in addition to the original. Thus, repeat 3 times means 4 times altogether.
To knit "even"—The row or work is knitted without increasing or decreasing.
Important: When the instructions read—Cast off 2 sts. K2. (or similar sts.) the stitch on the right hand needle after casting off, is counted as 1 stitch.

Traduction Française des Abréviations et Points Employés

K = Tricoter à l'endroit. P = Tricoter à l'envers. p.s.s.o. = Passer la maille glissée par dessus. w.r.n. = Une maille jetée à l'envers. w.o.n. = Passer la laine par-dessus l'aiguille. Wl.fwd. = Une maille jetée à l'endroit. Tog. = Ensemble. Ins. Pouces. Dec. = Diminuer. Inc. = Augmenter. t.b.l. = Tricoter par derrière la maille.
To knit even—Tricoter sans augmenter ni diminuer.
The star symbol (★)—L'astérisque indique que les directions qui suivent doivent être répétées. Si on demande de répéter un certain nombre de fois, il est entendu que c'est en plus de l'original, tel que ★ répéter 3 fois veut dire 4 fois en tout.
ARMHOLE—Emmanchure. NECK EDGE—Encolure. CAST OFF—Rabattre. GARTER STITCH—Point de jarretière, tous les rangs à l'endroit. STOCKING STITCH—Point Jersey. Un rang à l'endroit. Un rang à l'envers. MOSS OR SEED STITCH—1er rang. = 1 maille à l'endroit. 1 maille à l'envers. 2e rang. = 1 maille à l'envers vis-à-vis des mailles à l'endroit et 1 maille à l'endroit vis-à-vis des mailles à l'envers.

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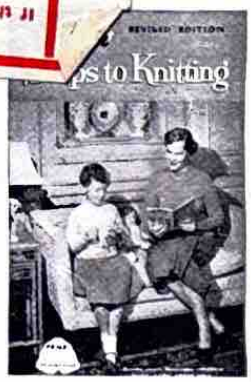

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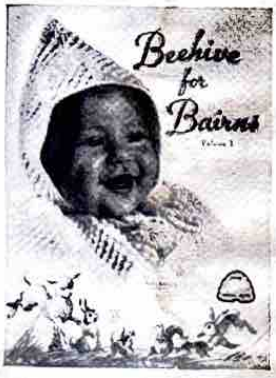

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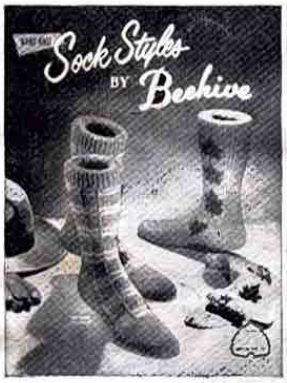

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